

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

**JOINT CONSENT TO THE EXERCISE OF  
JURISDICTION BY A UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE**

In accordance with the provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 636(c), and Fed.R.Civ.P. 73, the parties in this case consent to have a United States magistrate judge conduct any and all proceedings in this case, including mediation, trial, entry of a final judgment, and all post-judgment proceedings.

## IT IS SO STIPULATED:

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## **ORDER OF REFERENCE**

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that this case be referred to The Honorable Mary Pat Thyng, United States Magistrate Judge, to conduct all proceedings in this case, including mediation, trial, entry of a final judgment, and all post-judgment proceedings in accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 636(c), and Fed.R.Civ.P. 73.

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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**

Dated: February \_\_, 2007